

Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania. I thank the gentleman, Mr. Speaker. I appreciate the opportunity to address the House and my colleagues.

## RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. (Mr. ROGERS). Pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess until approximately 3 p.m.

Accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess until approximately 3 p.m.

## □ 1501

## AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. ROGERS) at 3 o'clock and 1 minute p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER  
PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Debate has concluded on all motions to suspend the rules. Pursuant to clause 5 of rule I, the Chair will now put the question on approval of the Journal and then on each motion to suspend the rules on which further proceedings were postponed earlier today in the order in which the motion was entertained.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

Approval of the Journal; de novo;  
H.R. 2778, de novo; and  
H.R. 2853, de novo.

The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for any electronic vote after the first such vote in this series.

## THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 5 of rule I, the pending business is the question de novo of agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of the last day's proceedings.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

SPECIAL TAX TREATMENT FOR  
UNITED STATES TROOPS IN  
BOSNIA

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question de novo of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2778, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Kentucky [Mr. BUNNING] that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2778, as amended.

The question was taken.

Mr. BUNNING. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 416, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 44]

YEAS—416

Ackerman	Dellums	Holden
Allard	Deutsch	Horn
Andrews	Diaz-Balart	Hostettler
Archer	Dickey	Houghton
Armey	Dicks	Hoyer
Bachus	Dingell	Hunter
Baesler	Dixon	Hutchinson
Baker (CA)	Doggett	Hyde
Baker (LA)	Dooley	Inglis
Baldacci	Doolittle	Istook
Ballenger	Dornan	Jackson (IL)
Barcia	Doyle	Jackson-Lee
Barr	Dreier	(TX)
Barrett (NE)	Duncan	Jacobs
Barrett (WI)	Dunn	Jefferson
Bartlett	Edwards	Johnson (CT)
Barton	Ehlers	Johnson (SD)
Bass	Emerson	Johnson, E. B.
Bateman	Engel	Johnson, Sam
Becerra	English	Johnston
Beilenson	Ensign	Jones
Bentsen	Eshoo	Kanjorski
Bereuter	Evans	Kasich
Berman	Everett	Kelly
Bevill	Ewing	Kennedy (MA)
Bilbray	Farr	Kennedy (RI)
Bilirakis	Fattah	Kennelly
Bishop	Fawell	Kildee
Bliley	Fazio	Kim
Blute	Fields (LA)	King
Boehlert	Fields (TX)	Kingston
Boehner	Filner	Klecza
Bonilla	Flake	Klink
Bonior	Flanagan	Klug
Bono	Foglietta	Knollenberg
Borski	Foley	Kolbe
Boucher	Forbes	LaFalce
Brewster	Ford	LaHood
Browder	Fowler	Lantos
Brown (CA)	Fox	Largent
Brown (OH)	Frank (MA)	Latham
Brownback	Franks (CT)	Laughlin
Bryant (TN)	Franks (NJ)	Lazio
Bryant (TX)	Frelinghuysen	Leach
Bunn	Frisa	Levin
Bunning	Frost	Lewis (CA)
Burr	Funderburk	Lewis (GA)
Burton	Furse	Lewis (KY)
Buyer	Galleghy	Lightfoot
Callahan	Ganske	Lincoln
Calvert	Gejdenson	Linder
Camp	Gekas	Livingston
Campbell	Gephardt	LoBiondo
Canady	Geren	Lofgren
Cardin	Gibbons	Longley
Castle	Gilchrest	Lowey
Chabot	Gillmor	Lucas
Chambliss	Gilman	Luther
Chapman	Gonzalez	Maloney
Christensen	Goodlatte	Manton
Chrysler	Goodling	Manzullo
Clay	Gordon	Markey
Clayton	Goss	Martinez
Clement	Graham	Martini
Clinger	Green	Mascara
Clyburn	Greenwood	Matsui
Coble	Gunderson	McCollum
Coburn	Gutierrez	McCrery
Coleman	Gutknecht	McDade
Collins (GA)	Hall (OH)	McDermott
Collins (IL)	Hall (TX)	McHale
Combest	Hamilton	McHugh
Condit	Hancock	McInnis
Conyers	Hansen	McIntosh
Cooley	Harman	McKeon
Costello	Hastert	McKinney
Cox	Hastings (FL)	McNulty
Coyne	Hastings (WA)	Meehan
Cramer	Hayes	Meek
Crane	Hayworth	Menendez
Crapo	Hefley	Metcalfe
Creameans	Hefner	Meyers
Cubin	Heineman	Mica
Cunningham	Herger	Miller (CA)
Danner	Hilleary	Miller (FL)
Davis	Hilliard	Minge
de la Garza	Hinchey	Mink
Deal	Hobson	Moakley
DeLauro	Hoekstra	Molinari
DeLay	Hoke	Mollohan

Montgomery	Roemer	Talent
Moorhead	Rogers	Tanner
Moran	Rohrabacher	Tate
Murtha	Ros-Lehtinen	Tauzin
Myers	Rose	Taylor (MS)
Myrick	Roth	Taylor (NC)
Nadler	Roukema	Tejeda
Neal	Roybal-Allard	Thomas
Nethercutt	Royce	Thompson
Neumann	Rush	Thornberry
Ney	Sabo	Thornton
Norwood	Salmon	Thurman
Nussle	Sanders	Tiahrt
Oberstar	Sanford	Torkildsen
Obey	Sawyer	Torres
Olver	Saxton	Torricelli
Orton	Scarborough	Towns
Owens	Schaefer	Trafigant
Oxley	Schiff	Upton
Packard	Schroeder	Velazquez
Pallone	Schumer	Vento
Parker	Scott	Visclosky
Pastor	Seastrand	Volkmer
Paxon	Sensenbrenner	Vucanovich
Payne (NJ)	Serrano	Waldholtz
Payne (VA)	Shadegg	Walker
Pelosi	Shaw	Walsh
Peterson (FL)	Shays	Wamp
Peterson (MN)	Shuster	Ward
Petri	Siskis	Waters
Pickett	Skaggs	Watt (NC)
Pombo	Skeen	Watts (OK)
Pomeroy	Skelton	Waxman
Porter	Slaughter	Weldon (FL)
Portman	Smith (MI)	Weldon (PA)
Poshard	Smith (NJ)	Weller
Pryce	Smith (TX)	White
Quillen	Smith (WA)	Whitfield
Quinn	Solomon	Wicker
Radanovich	Souder	Williams
Rahall	Spence	Wilson
Ramstad	Spratt	Wise
Rangel	Stark	Wolf
Reed	Stearns	Woolsey
Regula	Stenholm	Yates
Richardson	Stockman	Young (AK)
Riggs	Studds	Young (FL)
Rivers	Stump	Zeliff
Roberts	Stupak	Zimmer

## NOT VOTING—15

Abercrombie	Durbin	McCarthy
Brown (FL)	Ehrlich	Morella
Chenoweth	Kaptur	Ortiz
Collins (MI)	LaTourette	Stokes
DeFazio	Lipinski	Wynn

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Mr. SCARBOROUGH changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended, and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ABERCROMBIE. Mr. Speaker, earlier today the House considered on the suspension calendar, H.R. 2778, a bill to give special tax treatment to United States troops in Bosnia. As a strong supporter of the members of our Armed Forces I strongly support this measure. Had I been present on roll No. 44 I would have noted "aye."

MOST-FAVORED-NATION  
TREATMENT FOR BULGARIA

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. ROGERS). The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 2853.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Illinois [Mr.